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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 08-350-WO-US)

In application of)
Lorensten, et al.) Examiner: Sheridan Swope
Serial No. 10/553,869))
Filed: October 21, 2005) Group Art Unit: 1652
For: Cleavage of Fusion Protein Using Granzyme B Protease) Confirmation No.: 1881

RESPONSE TO JANUARY 16, 2008 OFFICE ACTION

Sir/Madam:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2008, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks and amendments.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2. A substitute specification in both marked and clean form are submitted herewith. A substitute sequence listing is also submitted herewith. The corresponding sequence listing statement is on page 10.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 10. The sequence listing statement is on page 10.